## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In Re PATENT application of: **TOWNES et al.** 

Application No.: 10/724,100

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Hon. Director of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 NOV 1 4 2005 W

Examiner: VERDIER, Christopher M.

Group Art Unit: 3745 Atty Docket: 84715

Date: November 14, 2005

Sir:

## RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

## FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED Claims Highest number Large/Small Entity previously paid for emaining Present Present Add<u>i</u>tional after Extra Fee amendment x \$50.00 Total Effective Claims 9 '\*minus 20 = 0 Independent Claims \*\*minus x \$200.00 3 If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave <u>blank</u> if this is a <u>reissue</u> application) +\$ Original due date: November 16, 2005 NONE Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached (1 mo) (2mos (3mos \$ + \$ Enter any previous extension fee <u>paid</u> since above <u>original</u> due date (item 5) and subtract Extension Fee Attached + \$ + \$ If Terminal Disclaimer attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee If IDS attached requires Official Fee or if Rule 97(d) Petition, add add + \$ After-Final Request Fee per Rules 129(a) and 17(r) No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b): x\$ Petition fee for TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED = \$ 0.00

<u>Charge Statement</u>: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any missing or insufficient fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under Rule 16 – 18 (<u>missing or insufficient fee only</u>) now or hereafter relative to this application and the resulting Official document under Rule 20, or credit any overpayment, to our Account Order No. 500687 for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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## **AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Office action dated August 16, 2005, please amend this application as follows: